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APPRECIATED.

St. Brigid's Church Crowded to Hear Father Rock Sunday Night.

Pope Leo the Subject of the Finest Lecture He Ever Delivered.

His Powerful Analysis of the Past and Present of History.

PROMINENT CLERGYMEN PRESENT

At St. Brigid's, in the Highlands, last Sunday night Father P. M. J. Rock delivered an impressive lecture on Leo XIII. and the spirit of the age. Father Rock, as is well known in Kentucky, is an orator of splendid ability, and this lecture is probably one of the finest which he has ever delivered. It is unnecessary to say that St. Brigid's was filled. We venture a larger or more appreciative audience has never gathered beneath the roof. Of all who listened none had any cause to go away disappointed.

In introduction the reverend lecturer declared that Leo XIII. was the greatest statesman and scholar of the world. In rapid order he dwelt successively on his boyhood and young priesthood—steps of preparation for the great place this Pope today occupies in the sphere of the world's activities—told how he became Nuncio, Bishop and Archbishop, always gathering fruit from each experience, always ripening, until he watches today at ninety-one the spiritual father and high shepherd of 300,000,000 people, universally honored and regarded as one of the great philanthropists and theologians of the age—a poet nearing his century of years, a moralist whose utterances are heard with respect by all the learned of earth whenever he speaks.

Touching the Papacy, Father Rock showed the beneficent influence it has exercised upon each successive age. Graphically he told how in the early ages Italy was saved from fierce Northern invaders by the heroic conduct of Pope Gregory, and how, forgetful of this and a thousand noble actions similar on the part of those who have occupied Peter's chair from the dawn of Christianity, modern secret societies in Italy and everywhere are scheming to destroy the church which Christ established; how Italian civilization itself is being destroyed through their machinations; how property is no longer safe; how the Pope himself is kept prisoner, when of right and dignity he should be allowed to perform his function as father of all untrammelled, as even Bismarck long ago admitted was his right.

Adverting to his career and his universal solicitude, Father Rock related how, notwithstanding the wrongs he had suffered, Leo XIII. is ever watchful of the spiritual and material interests of humanity; how his various encyclicals have one unvariable tendency to make men better, juster and nobler spiritually and morally. He alone among statesmen has dared to point out the right way on the labor question and on the question of socialism, proposing remedies which if universally adopted would result in curing the evils which infest society. Stated he is alternately called the "poor man's Pope" and the Pope who urges that justly obtained wealth is entitled to emption from the brands of anarchism and destructionism—a just father desiring justice to prevail among all his children. In conclusion the speaker drew a sublime picture of this grand old man, sitting throned although a prisoner, high above all Kings, Emperors, Kaisers or Czars, the ruler of 300,000,000 people, composed of every race and tongue earth knows. From every point of view the lecture was a most impressive one and a powerful analysis of the past and present of history and the conditions and tendencies of the age. It was a remarkable lecture and the eloquence of the speaker in perfect keeping with the subject discussed.

The devotions were conducted by Rev. Father Murphy, of the Cathedral, and within the sanctuary were many priests, among them Rev. Fathers Fowler, Weiss, Walsh, Gastaldi and Connelly and Mr. Edward McDonogh. The singing and solos by the choir were excellent, the writer having seldom heard any more artistically rendered.

SERIOUSLY INJURED.

Mrs. Ellen Scanlon Oldest Woman Now Living in Kentucky.

Mrs. Ellen Scanlon, aged 105 years, and believed to be the oldest woman living in Kentucky, last week sustained injuries which it is feared will prove fatal. The old lady is very feeble, and in an attempt to descend from the porch in the rear of her residence on Eleventh street she missed her footing and fell, dislocating her hip and breaking her arm.

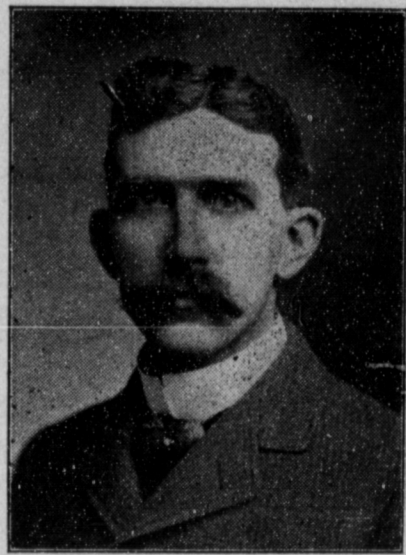
Mrs. Scanlon came to this city from Cork, Ireland, over forty years ago, to live with her son, Jeremiah Scanlon, the well-known saloon-keeper at Thirtieth and Kentucky streets. Notwithstanding

her great age Mrs. Scanlon had never before suffered a day's illness. She was always active and energetic and a hard worker, and walked every Sunday to the Dominican church to mass. Previous to the sad accident she had started to make the jubilee.

JAMES J. GUY.

Popular Young Irishman Accepts Position With C. C. Roe.

James J. Guy, whose picture appears herewith, is one of the most popular young Irish-Americans in the city. Being a native of this city, he received his early education in St. Patrick's parochial school, after which he completed his studies in the Christian Brothers' Academy at St. Louis, Mo. For several years



he held responsible positions as book-keeper for a number of local firms, until he accepted a position with ex-County Assessor R. T. Burke. He served as Deputy Assessor during the four years of Burke's last term, and then accepted a position with former Tax Receiver Thos. Shelley. He is now book-keeper for the firm of Lum Simons & Co. He is an experienced and capable assessor and is to be Deputy Assessor in the event of the election of C. C. Roe to the office of County Assessor. In the selection of Jimmie Guy as a Deputy Mr. Roe has shown good judgement, for he has had experience in the office, is a well-known and popular young man, who has scores of friends. Mr. Roe has been especially kind to young Irishmen, having on his staff several well-known and capable men. No man in this city or county worked harder for Ed. J. McDermott than Charley Roe, he having made speeches nightly all over the city. His arraignment of the A. P. A. is well remembered by the thousands of voters who know and believe that before a man is recognized by his party he should show by his works his right to ask for recognition. Of all the candidates for the Democratic nomination for County Assessor Mr. Roe has worked the hardest at all times for the party, and the knowing ones predict that his past services will be rewarded.

IRISH-AMERICAN SOCIETY

Riverview Park Secured For Annual Reunion and Picnic.

On August 19 the Irish-American Society of this city will give a most enjoyable reunion and picnic at Riverview Park. An elaborate programme is being arranged and the occasion promises to be one of the most delightful affairs of the season. As is well known, this society never does anything by halves, and this occasion is intended to surpass every previous effort. Fine speaking, splendid music and a bounteous feast will be features, and all who desire a day of unalloyed pleasure will find it at Riverview Park on the occasion mentioned. The committee having the reunion in charge includes such well known men as Joe Byrne, Capt. Tom Claire, William M. Higgins and Tom Tarpey.

CHILDREN'S FIRST COMMUNION.

At the Church of Our Lady in Portland tomorrow morning a large number of children will receive their first holy communion at the 7:30 o'clock mass. For some time past the beloved pastor, Rev. Father Conniff, has labored zealously in preparing the little ones for this very important event in their lives, and the beautiful scene that will be presented will attest his great work. The young ladies of the Sacred Heart Sodality and all who will next Sunday finish their jubilee visits will also approach holy communion at the same mass.

Quite a large number of little folks will also receive their first holy communion at St. Michael's church Sunday morning. Rev. Father Sheridan, who has been their proficient instructor, will be the celebrant of the mass, and as this will be his last important service before going abroad there is no doubt but that the church will be thronged.

PICNIC MONDAY.

The ladies of the Hospital Club will give the first picnic of the season Monday at the New Albany fair grounds, the proceeds of which will be for the benefit of the new St. Edward's Hospital now being erected by the Catholics of New Albany. The ladies have arranged to entertain an enormous crowd of people.

MACKIN COUNCIL

Now Numbers in Its Membership Prominent Young Men of the West End.

The Handsome and Commodious Club House on Twenty-Sixth Street.

Among the Past Presidents Are Some Well-Known Irish-Americans.

THE ANNUAL OUTING NEXT MONTH

Among the Catholic societies of this city who own their homes or meeting places none is better known than Mackin

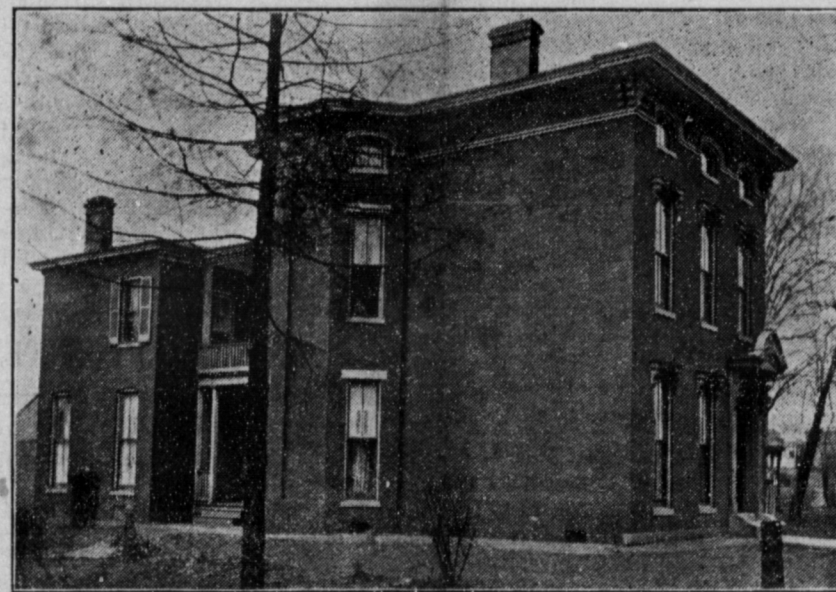
way's name would add much strength to the ticket. Democrats all over the city would take pleasure in working for his success.

SPLENDID EXHIBITION.

Sewing School Established by Ladies of St. Joseph's Aid Society.

The Cathedral sewing school for Catholic children, which has now reached quite extensive proportions, was established six years ago by the ladies of St. Joseph's Aid Society. Previous to that time numbers of Catholic children from the different parishes attended sewing schools connected with Protestant churches, and these noble-hearted ladies, feeling it a duty to care for their own, started this work at the Cathedral especially for Catholic children.

There has never been at any time a scarcity of children, the enrollment each year being over one hundred, but during the past year or two it has been almost impossible to secure teachers enough.



MACKIN COUNCIL CLUB HOUSE.

Council, a local branch of the Young Men's Institute. Eight years ago a club of Catholic young men living in the West End of this city applied for and received a charter from the Grand Council of the Young Men's Institute.

They named the new organization "Mackin Council," after the late Rev. Father Mackin, who was at that time pastor of St. Cecilia's church. From a membership of twenty men at the time the charter was issued the council has increased to 285, their present number.

Shortly after forming the Council a residence was rented on West Main street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth, which was used as a club house, but after a few years the membership had increased to such an extent that a larger and more commodious house was necessary. A few months ago Mackin Council purchased from the Evans' the handsome twelve-room residence on Twenty-sixth street, between St. Cecilia and Slevin, which has been remodeled and is now used as their club house, the picture of which appears with this article. It is on a lot 128x200 feet. The ground floor is fitted up with spacious parlors and reading rooms, while on the second floor are the billiard, bath and ladies' reception rooms. On the third floor is the gymnasium and meeting hall.

Although the council is composed of men of every nationality, such representative Irish-Americans as Frank D. Lyons, James T. Shelley, V. B. Smith, Richard W. Galway and Daniel W. Cuniff have at different times been elected to the Presidency, and to their efforts is due much of the success Mackin has enjoyed. This council has the distinction of furnishing the first Supreme Secretary of the first Supreme Council, George Lantz, the present Grand Secretary of the Kentucky jurisdiction, is also a member of Mackin Council.

The members are now making extensive arrangements for their eighth annual outing, to be given at Fern Grove Tuesday, June 11. These outings are taken advantage of for a pleasant reunion of the residents of the West End, and the indications are that all the boats will be required to convey the throngs that will participate in this year's event.

MENTIONED FOR ALDERMAN.

The Democratic residents of the Eight and Ninth wards and also many influential business and laboring men throughout the city are importuning Mr. John Conway to become their candidate for Alderman in the approaching election. Mr. Conway is among our best known and most successful business men, and his popularity with the workmen would make his election sure. The Kentucky Irish American believes him possessed of all the qualifications that distinguish his intimate friend, the late Alderman James Gilbert, and does not hesitate to say that Mr. Con-

way's name would add much strength to the ticket. Democrats all over the city would take pleasure in working for his success.

It may be that a sufficient number of Catholic ladies would be glad to help in this good work if it were only called to their attention. Whatever the reason for this lack of interest, it would be a great pity if the school were to close for lack of teachers and the children drift back into sewing schools where they do not belong.

The enrollment for the past year was 125, and there was an excellent average attendance. This school closed last Saturday afternoon with the annual exhibition of work, which showed that the progress made by the children was wonderful. If more people would only see this work they would become interested, as it was really surprising how six teachers could accomplish so much with such a large number of children to look after.

Especially worthy of mention was the fancy work done by Mrs. Dr. Kampfmüller's class. The beautiful work done by these little children would be a credit to grown women and would have to be seen to be justly appreciated. The teachers who have been most faithful during the year are Mrs. Dr. Kampfmüller and Misses Rose Quinn, Anna Venhoff, Mary Smith, Estella Netherland and Edith Ferris. The children were placed in divisions, the following carrying off the prizes:

A SPLENDID IRISH MONTHLY.

The Gael for May presents an issue of splendid interest. In illustrations and variety of contents no periodical of the country surpasses this unpretentious Irish magazine. In the number before us Thomas Lonergan presents an attractive article on "Modern Irish Literature;" Sir Thomas Esmonde contributes a paper on "The Intellectual Revival in Ireland;" Sarah Blennerhasset begins a "History of the County Clare;" Prof. Austin O'Malley, of Notre Dame University contributes a lengthy sketch of Grace O'Malley, the famous Connaught Sea Queen. There is an interesting article on relics of the Danish Vikings, while striking poems are presented by Alfred Percival Graves and E. Sullivan. The June issue of the Gael is announced to present a striking narrative poem on the famous banishment of the O'Malley family, contributed by Chas. J. O'Malley, of this city. The Gael is certainly a credit to the Irish race in America, and at the low price of one dollar a year, ought have hundreds of thousands of subscribers.

Hairpins with jeweled heads are one of the novelties for hair decorations.

THOMAS MOORE.

Hibernians Will Celebrate the Anniversary of the Famous Irish Poet.

Division 1 to Entertain Members and Ladies Next Tuesday Night.

Able Addresses by Messrs. Jas. P. Barry and David O'Connell.

A SPLENDID MUSICAL PROGRAMME

Next Tuesday evening at their hall on Market street, this city, Division 1, Ancient Order of Hibernians, will cele-

brates the anniversary of Thomas Moore, the famous Irish poet, by entertaining members of the order and their lady friends, to whom a general invitation has been extended. The programme as announced will be splendid and varied. The speakers of the evening will be Mr. James P. Barry, of this city, who will deliver a splendid address on Moore, his time, and the poems he gave to his native land. Musical numbers and recitations will follow, after which Mr. David O'Connell will deliver an entertaining discourse on the Ancient Order of Hibernians, their purpose and their work. This address, likewise, will be followed by music, instrumental and vocal, in which some of the ablest talent in the city will take part.

PUSHING UPWARD.

E. B. Casler Has Staying Qualities That Insure Success.

It is pleasant to be able to state good things of a candidate who offers for office. Mr. E. B. Casler, who is now offering for Assessor of Jefferson county, subject to the action of the Democratic party, is a young man in every way trustworthy. He has fought his own way to the front, and has staying qualities on which all right success in life is based. In Mr.



Casler's case these would appear inherited. He is of Irish descent on one side, his grandfather being Stephen Brannon, an exile who was forced to leave Ireland on account of having taken part in the famous rebellion of '98. Mr. Casler himself is a son of Smith Casler, for ten years Democratic Executive Committeeman.

Personally the gifted aspirant is a member of the Ancient Order of United Workmen and is at present Deputy Grand Master of that order for the State. His sympathies have always been on the side of those who toil, and than he laboring men can scarcely find a representative worthier. If elected Mr. Casler's deputies in office will include four popular and well-known young Irish-Americans, John Kindrigan, Edward Malone, Edward Holman and John J. Barry. It is needless to add that his chances for success are flattering.

GETHESEMANI.

Gov. Beckham's Wife Second Lady to Enter Its Portals.

On June 4 the wife of Governor Beckham will visit Gethsemani Abbey, Nelson county, this State. She will be the second woman ever admitted to the proper, the first being Mrs. J. Proctor Knott, who visited there once when her husband was Governor.

Quite naturally the event will be an extraordinary one at the old abbey. Right Rev. Abbot Edmond Obrecht has asked the Governor to invite twenty of his male friends who may wish to accompany him, and will invite twenty friends of his own. After the abbey has been gone over an elaborate dinner will be served. The afternoon will be spent in visiting the extensive abbey grounds. Already elaborate preparations are being made to give the distinguished guests a royal entertainment, such as the present abbot well knows how to set forth.

The rule of the Trappist order is very rigid with regard to the admission of women. For centuries in France, where the order originated, no woman has been allowed to pass the portals of any Trappist abbey unless she happens to be the wife of a reigning King or Governor of a province. It is not true, as generally asserted, that royal descent alone will admit, otherwise our own Gethsemani would or could be constantly filled with the better halves of numerous O'Neills, O'Briens, McMahons and O'Connors, and with those of such princes as the McDermotts, O'Dohertys and others. In this country the rule has been changed so as to admit the wives of actual Presidents of the land and Governors of the State. No doubt Mrs. Beckham will highly enjoy her visit.

RIGHT MAN IN RIGHT PLACE.

In his speech in the jury-packing debate in the British House of Commons, says the Irish World, Thomas W. Russell said: "It is the same thing that runs through every chapter of Irish history since the Union. You are not one bit nearer the heart of the Irish people than you were when you carried the Union by bribery, corruption and intimidation." And when another Ulster member, a Tory, said "It was the first time he had heard a Unionist member tell the House that the Union had been obtained by bribery and corruption," Russell replied that "his authority for the statement was the distinguished member for Trinity College, who had stated that the Union was carried with every circumstance of moral turpitude."

The "distinguished member for Trinity College," referred to by Russell, is Lecky, the historian. In his well known history, written some years ago, he described as quoted the methods by which the Union was carried, yet he is now a defender of that Union. He is just the man to represent the Protestant ascendancy university founded by Queen Elizabeth.

THE BEST YET.

West End Hibernians Spend Another Enjoyable Evening.

Last of This Season's Series of Social Sessions by Division 3.

Splendid Programme Presented by Talented Young People.

THE LARGE AUDIENCE DELIGHTED

Division 3, Ancient Order of Hibernians, closed its series of social sessions last Monday night with a real entertainment in every respect. These sessions have caused a revival of interest in Hibernian circles of the West End and may regret that there will not be any more until the fall of the year. Among the large crowd present were many members of the other divisions of this city and a few from across the river. Those present seemed to have had an enjoyable evening, for nothing but words of praise for the performers could be heard when the audience filed out at the close.

Miss Nellie Finnegan opened the entertainment with a piano solo which seemed to put her audience in good spirits by its excellent rendition. William Corrigan sang the song, "Bridge of Sighs," at the close of which he received rounds of applause to which he had to respond.

The James sisters, June and Lee, are excellent singers and both made a hit in their different styles of singing. If they improve as they grow older there is no doubt but what they will make a success on the stage. James Carroll made a good impression by the manner in which he recited "Asleep at the Switch" and "The Lunatic." There is very little room for improvement in the work of this young Irish-American electionist, who carried off first honors in the election contest of the graduating class of St. Xavier's College in 1899.

"Patsy" is a character impersonated by Thomas Clines, and any one who has seen and heard "Patsy" will not soon forget him. His description of "Initiating Pa into the A. O. H." caused much laughter and before he finished with his abundant supply of jokes and songs many handkerchiefs were in use to wipe away tears caused from continual laughter.

Miss Abbie Chester in sentimental songs was very good and had to respond to the ovation which was given her. When Master Boyd Chester appeared he captured the audience with his costume and created much fun as he sang "Teaching McFadden How to Waltz." His swinging of Indian clubs was a great surprise to the crowd, who marvelled at his skill and at his graceful execution of many difficult movements.

Sylvester Groves is the possessor of a fine voice, and rendered several songs to the satisfaction of all. Mr. Golden, who accompanied him on the piano, evinced a good deal of musical talent for a young man.

Last but not least came Miss Mary Zoll, organist at St. Paul's church, who accompanied all the singers except Mr. Groves. During the occasion Miss Zoll played a solo which was highly appreciated by those who understood music. She is one of the best performers in the city on a piano or organ, and bids fair to win enduring place as a musician.

LARGEST IN NUMBER.

Fifth and Last of the Catholic Jubilee Processions Tomorrow.

The fifth and last of the Catholic Sunday jubilee processions will take place tomorrow afternoon. Though the weather was somewhat threatening last Sunday there was no decrease in either interest or numbers, and it is estimated that between 8,000 and 10,000 will gain the indulgence granted those who visited the churches with the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

St. Patrick's Conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society unanimously voted to approach holy communion in a body tomorrow morning at the 6:30 mass, and President Edward J. O'Brien was instructed to invite all the members of St. Patrick's congregation to accompany them. This announcement was made Sunday afternoon and at the mass during the week, and doubtless large numbers will receive the sacraments.

Many pious Catholics have already made the fifteen visits to the four designated churches, otherwise the processions would have been largely augmented.

POPULAR OFFICERS.

Many compliments are heard on all sides for Lieut. Steve Wickham and Officer Dan Sexton in regard to their cool-headed management of the jubilee crowds on Sundays at the four churches visited, and many of them came from the gentler sex, too. Both are among the most popular officers Limerick has turned out and it is the consensus of opinion that each is deserving of promotion.

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THOSE JUBILEE PROCESSIONS.

The Papal jubilee procession of last Sunday ought, if it does not, put non-Catholic Louisville to thinking seriously. Some estimates assert that not less than fourteen thousand Catholic men passed down the city streets in line of march. It was, in any case, an unprecedented, overwhelming spectacle. It made plain at once and finally the Catholic strength in Louisville and the vigor and intensity of that strength. A religious body, no quasi-denominational secret society in the city able to turn out such force.

And yet, notwithstanding the significance of this outpouring, those familiar with the facts assert that even this line of march could have been increased several thousand more. At a low estimate the present would number at least five thousand. Many through age or infirmity are compelled to stay at home; other many are engaged in making the jubilee privately. A few, we regret to say, appear neglectful or unappreciative of the benefits which may be received. From such sources, however, a still greater spectacle could be drawn.

This absence aside, the overwhelming torrent pouring down the street in the broad glare of day inevitably must convince those outside the church that zeal is not dead among our Catholic men—that religion is not left to be practiced by women and children, as from time to time the non-Catholic pulpits asserts. Those serried thousands going forward under the banner of Christ are a protest in the sight of all against the unfaith of the age. Like the Christians of old, during the throes of bloody persecution, they dare to stand up before Caesar and proclaim the faith that is in them. Saxon and Teuton and Kelt—Italian and Syrian and Pole—Ethiopian, Spaniard and Greek—combined they show that the church in Louisville is a vital organism, a united host, and at same time present an assurance of still greater growth. Overwhelming as are the present jubilee processions, how insignificant will they appear beside those of fifty years hence.

GRANTED A PRIMARY.

Since our last issue the various Democratic Committeemen have ordered a primary election. We believe the decision the correct one. We are certain it was the one desired by the rank and file of the men who do the voting.

Incidentally it may be observed that an overwhelming majority of the candidates favored the primary system. From this, as it appears to us, the politicians who presume to think themselves wiser than the people might profitably take a hint. With the solitary exception of a group of professional slate-fixers, the people of Louisville are heartily tired of conventions. They have grown weary of perpetual jugglery and injustice. They desire fair dealing both in nominating candidates and in electing them. It is proper their wishes should be heeded.

And this brings us to remark that a time is coming, if it has not already come, when it will be in the power of a few to defeat the wish of the many. In other respects a large proportion of the Democratic voters of Louisville have rights which the politicians can not much longer afford to ignore. Politics may be a game of chance, as frequently alleged, but honesty is the best policy even in games of chance. We can not

hope to escape strife and wrangling so long as an overwhelming majority of those who vote feel that injustice is done them year after year.

CASE OF FATHER PHILLIPS.

The sensation of the week in the secular press has been the mysterious death of Father E. S. Phillips, of Hazelton, Pa. Father Phillips, on account of his phenomenal success in settling labor troubles in his section, has gradually come to be known as "the miners' friend." He disappeared from his parish on April 27, and last Friday his body was found in a small room belonging to "Dr." Kirk Stanley, a massage specialist living in an obscure flat in New York. The facts in the case already have been exploited in the daily papers. The mystery surrounding its recovery has been one of the sensations of the hour.

We are glad to find the latest reports clear up one charge frequently alleged by the dispatches, viz., that Father Phillips went to the rooms of this pretended specialist prompted by immoral motives. Stanley's own attorney and himself have made a statement that any such report is false, although it is alleged that he was, and for several days had been, heavily under the influence of liquor. It remains to be seen whether or not even this charge can be proved. Time may show that it can not.

Our own conviction is that Father Phillips adjourned to Stanley's rooms with intention of receiving treatment at the hands of this pretended specialist. It is known that he was a firm believer in massage. While there he may have died from the effects of unskilled service, owing to existing heart trouble, or he may have been killed for the money which he might reasonably be supposed to carry about him. Owing to the mysterious disappearance of Stanley's alleged wife the day succeeding the unhappy clergyman's death, the latter appears to us the more reasonable theory just now. We have no fear whatever but the truth will soon be known.

Such tragedies seldom occur, but they are shocking whenever they do. If, indeed, Father Phillips drank as charged, the fact is unfortunate, but not half so appalling as the first charge urged against him by the lying massage doctor. Evidently the testimony of such a man is unworthy of credit. Because this is true the proper course is to believe no statement until the facts are all laid bare. Similar charges of immorality were urged against the unfortunate Father Riegel, of Philadelphia, last February, it must be remembered, yet today the chief conspirators in his sudden taking off admit that they lied, and that Father Riegel was not guilty as asserted. They, too, schemed to dishonor his memory, but the truth would not remain hid. Until stronger proof is forthcoming we prefer to believe Father Phillips innocent. Here we predict that time will show him a victim, as already it has done in the case of the Philadelphia priest. The fate of these two men, however, may prove a warning to others to steer clear of unknown quarters and dangerous characters in our great cities. The devil is always seeking opportunity to destroy both priest and the priest's fair fame.

LICENSING THE DEVIL.

The Catholic Journal, of Memphis, makes a spirited comment on the demand for a "wide-open" town. Under existing conditions it declares that whoever seeks vice, or

immorality, or dissipation can find it without trouble, and deprecates the suggested further relaxation of the laws regulating the same. Since a similar demand exists here, and since the evils to follow are so clearly pointed out, we deem it well to reproduce the more striking paragraphs of the editorial. Says the Catholic Journal:

No American public man of any respectability goes in for making our cities more "wide open" than they are. Yet the lewd element, the sporting element and the gambling element under such regulations as exist. They want our municipal officials to formally declare the town "wide open." It will "bring trade," they say; it "will advertise the place."

Let the average citizen clearly understand what a "wide open" city means. It means that vice and immorality shall not alone be tolerated, but that it shall be permitted to go out on the streets and solicit trade. It means concert saloons and all-night resorts. It means the use of knock-out drops and sand-bagging. It means unregulated dances in liquor resorts, where the daughters of the working people are allured to their own sorrow. It means the evolution of callow boys into flannel-necked sports. It means easy access to shell games, pooling resorts and cheap gambling places, where young men and boys are tempted to lose their wages and to lay the foundation of bad habits and dishonest methods. It means all this, and a good deal more that can not be as much as mentioned among Christians.

The least devout of us are accustomed to say in the Lord's prayer: "Lead us not into temptation." We ask that we and our sons and daughters be protected from the temptations to vice and sin which may exist about us. How insincere we are if, while asking God to lead us away from temptations, we nevertheless vote for a "wide-open" town—vote to allow vice to flaunt itself and advertise itself; vote to allow traps to be set for our brother-man and for the undoing of his sons and daughters; vote to license the devil; vote to weaken the force of law and to ridicule the precepts of God.

Does not a goodly part of this arraignment apply to Louisville? Of course it applies also to every large city in the country, but with greater force here, perhaps, than elsewhere. Wherever such conditions exist, however, those responsible for their existence must reflect that through this advocacy of a fuller license modern civilization is being destroyed. If we do not mean to return to outright paganism it is time to call a halt. In allowing traps to be set for the ensnaring of our neighbors' sons and daughters we set them for the ensnaring of our own.

RECENT DEATHS.

Mrs. Margaret Boettner, aged sixty years, died early last Sunday morning of infirmities incident to old age. She was a Christian mother and devout member of St. Mary's church, from which her funeral took place Tuesday morning. Mrs. Boettner resided at 1308 West Market street with her five sons, Charles, George, John, Joseph and William Boettner.

Peter Linskey, for the past thirty-five years a respected resident of this city, died Sunday last, after a lingering illness of muscular rheumatism. The deceased was a native of County Galway, Ireland. His only relatives here are a niece and two nephews, Peter and William Linskey. The funeral took place from St. Patrick's church Monday afternoon, Monsignor Gambon conducting the services.

The announcement of the death of Richard Murray occasioned almost inexpressible grief among his friends and acquaintances, by whom he was held in high esteem. He was the father-in-law of David Scanlan, 2911 Woodland avenue. The funeral services were held at Holy Cross church Monday morning, Rev. Father Cunningham being the celebrant of the requiem mass, at the conclusion of which a long line of carriages followed the remains to their last resting place.

The funeral of the late James O'Connor took place Sunday morning from St. John's church, and was one of the most impressive and largely attended seen for many a day, many of the city clergy being present. Father Bax celebrated the requiem high mass, and in his funeral sermon paid grand tribute to the life and character of him who had long been regarded as the first among the Catholic laymen of Louisville. The floral offerings were many and beautiful and literally covered the grave in St. Louis cemetery.

The funeral of Mrs. Thomas Kerwin, who for more than fifty years had been a highly respected resident of Jeffersonville, took place Tuesday from St. Augustine's church. The deceased was among the first settlers of Clark county. During her last years she resided with her daughter, Mrs. John Carroll, on Ohio avenue. The impressive services were conducted by Rev. Father Connell, and besides her children and grandchildren a large number of relatives and friends followed the remains to their last resting place.

Charitable Old Lady—Poor woman! And are you a widow? Beggar—Worse than a widow, ma'am. Me 'usband's livin', an' I have to support him.

Mrs. Youngwife (at breakfast)—There is no bread on the table, Nora. Nora—Sure, there's none in the house, mum. Mrs. Youngwife (severely)—Then make some toast.

[Written for Kentucky Irish American.]

LOVE.

Love is a jewel of priceless worth, With sparkling rays of beauty rare, The richest boon to man on earth— Precious treasure beyond compare.

Golden bond of life in this world of ours, Linking us with the spirits above, Sweeter than music, purer than flowers; Ah! "Love is God, and God is Love."

To know its worth—to feel the might— Of this sweet gift to us from heaven, We must ever wear the jewel bright, Like Him whose life for love was given. KATIE DON LEAVY.

Louisville, Ky.

SOCIETY.

Messrs. Lee and Charles Pfeifer have returned after a week's visit at West Baden Springs.

Mrs. Martin Mattingly and Miss Jennie McClary, of Owensboro, were here visiting friends the first part of the week.

Richard M. Arnold, the well-known commercial traveler, arrived home this week after a pleasant sojourn at West Baden Springs.

Misses Ella May Dasset and Ella Moore, of Cincinnati, visited Mrs. William McIlhenny, 511 West St. Catherine street, this week.

Tony Norton was among those from this city who were this week enjoying a short season of rest and recreation at West Baden Springs.

H. G. Crowder has been confined to his room for the last several days with a severe attack of tonsillitis, but is expected to be out by Monday.

John J. Sullivan and sister, Miss Nellie, of 1520 Seventh street, are visiting their sister, Sister Dolorita, at St. Rose's Convent, Jacksonville, Ill.

Mike Walsh has been on a visit for the last couple of weeks in Kansas City as the guest of John Chaw, a well-known Louisville boy who is located there.

John Lyons, the son of Tim Lyons, manager of Hibernian Hall, has been confined to his home, 609 Eight street, for the past two weeks, suffering from a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Friends of Rev. Father Logan, who is now located in New York City, will be delighted to hear that he is having the same success as a manager of fairs that he did here, the church of which he is prior having just closed a two weeks' fair with a net profit of over \$13,000.

William Linskey arrived here last week from County Galway, Ireland, and will make his future home with his brother, Peter Linskey, 1339 Rogers street. Many who came from Galway and vicinity have called upon him and been entertained with interesting accounts of the changes that have taken place in the old land since their departure.

The marriage of Andrew Beil and Miss Mary Steinberger was solemnized Wednesday morning at St. Mary's church with nuptial mass. After an elegant wedding breakfast the happy couple left for Buffalo and the Pan-American Exposition. They will return next week, after which they will be at home to their friends at 1530 West Walnut street.

William Otto's face has been wreathed in smiles this week, there having arrived at his home on Baxter avenue a handsome boy baby, who has been installed as master of the house. Mother and son are both well and the happy parents are being showered with Irish and German congratulations. There will be a unique celebration in honor of the little fellow within a short time.

Mrs. James McKenna, of Fairfield, who has been quite ill at the home of her father, Mr. Charles White, 1125 West Jefferson street, is much improved and is now able to sit up, but still prohibited from seeing her friends by her doctor's orders. Mr. McKenna, who came here to see his wife, was taken quite ill of rheumatism and is confined to his room at Mr. White's. Mr. McKenna is the well known distiller of Frankfort.

The euchre given by St. Michael's branch at Music Hall last Wednesday evening was a social and financial success. The ladies' prizes, which were very handsome, were won by Miss H. Donahue and Mesdames M. Hoffman, M. Sauer, M. J. Duffy, Fred Smith, Otto Vent and Mrs. Becker. The gentleman winners were Messrs. Theo. Schepelman, A. H. Marlin, Otto Vent, B. J. Welsh, James B. Dillon, Edward Bittner and J. B. Weaver. After the games refreshments were served.

Quite a large crowd is expected at Fountain Ferry Park next Tuesday evening, May 28, the occasion being the Quintet Club's Dance. The reputation of every member of the club as an entertainer is well known, and those who attend can be assured in advance of a delightful evening. The committee in charge are: Edward Proctor, George Rautenbusch, Walter Proctor, Leo Schindler and Edward Rautenbusch. The Louisville Military Band will furnish the music.

Mrs. James Burke, one of the most lovable and best-known women in Jeffersonville, has been ill at the Mercy Hospital for several weeks. She is now improving and able to see her friends. Mrs. Burke did much to build up the Mercy Hospital and furnished a room therein. She also did much in her younger days for St. Augustine's church, assisting at every entertainment for its benefit. She has also been prominent in social circles. The many friends of Mrs. Burke in the Falls Cities will be glad to hear that she is getting well. Her son, Hon. Frank M. Burke, of Indianapolis, who has been here to see her, has returned to his home.

Three young men well known in Limerick society circles, while making their jubilee visits, exhibited piety that deserves more than passing mention. Upon their first visit to St. Boniface church at an early hour in the morning they were unable to gain admittance, being unaware that the doors open outwardly. The three young men tried them all, pushing against each with force but without effect. Nothing daunted, however, and determined that they should gain the indulgence, they piously knelt upon the steps morning after morning and said the prayers, until upon one visit ladies came along and opened the doors without any trouble.

The marriage of George McCrann and Miss Alice McAtee was quietly solemnized last week at the Cathedral, Rev. Father Rock performing the ceremony in the presence of a number of intimate friends of the contracting parties. The bride is one of the most beautiful and popular of the younger set in the West End, and since her debut has been prominent at nearly all social functions. George McCrann is well known in Irish and Catholic circles and few young men have as many friends, all of whom congratulate him upon winning one of the loveliest brides of the season. He is now the manager of the Roach distillery on Twenty-eighth street. The happy couple have gone to housekeeping on West Broadway, near Thirty-fourth street.

The ladies of St. Brigid's congregation are arranging for one of their enjoyable lawn fetes and coffee socials, which will be given on the grounds adjoining the church on Hepburn avenue. Those given last year are pleasantly remembered by many from the other parishes, all of whom will take advantage of this opportunity to spend a happy evening in the Highlands. Owing to the large numbers expected to attend the ladies have decided to hold this one on Thursday, May 30, both afternoon and evening. The ladies who will have charge and will assist in receiving are Mesdames D. B. Brown, J. R. Stey, J. C. Fedler, A. Schuler, Misses Katie Barrett, Ella Sullivan, Mary Lane, Dora Barrett, Emma Fedler, Nellie Barrett, Rose Fedler, Ollie Kelly, Emma Stey, Eleanor Stein and Julie Stey. There will be vocal and instrumental music of a very high order both afternoon and evening.

APPOINTED MATRON.

An Irish Catholic Young Lady Honored by Governor Beckham.

A few days ago Gov. J. W. C. Beckham appointed Miss Mamie Daugherty matron of the Insane Asylum at Hopkinsville. Last Thursday Miss Daugherty reported for service and will at once take charge of her office.

All who know Miss Daugherty are genuinely glad of her appointment. It is an honor she highly deserves and a position which she is capable of filling with credit to both herself and her friends. Miss Daugherty is a sister of Judge Frank E. Daugherty, of Bardonia, Nelson county, and is, we believe, a graduate of Nazareth. Incidentally it may be mentioned that she is a writer of some prominence. The Kentucky Irish American offers congratulations to this Kentucky Irish girl.

DRAWS LARGE CROWDS.

Since the new Zoological Garden and Summer Theater have been open to the public throngs of people have been in attendance daily. The novelty of this resort, so far as Louisville is concerned, has established it as the standard place of amusement for the summer, and with the coming of more reasonable weather there is no doubt that the spacious grounds of the Zoo will be taxed to their utmost capacity. The pretty Summer Theater, in which an excellent vaudeville show is presented without charge for admission, is one of the chief attractions, vying in popularity with the many outdoor features. Mr. Eddie Gifford, who has been startling the populace with his daring feat of riding a wheel from a sixty-foot tower into a tank of water, has been especially re-engaged for tomorrow, when he will twice perform his marvelous act. The high-wire wonders, the Davenport, have also been creating a sensation. The Ferris wheel, the merry-go-round and mystic maze are all interesting sights, and the rare animals and tropical birds add attraction to the Zoo. For next week the vaudeville magnet will include O'Brien and Herold, the comedy pair. Mr. David O'Brien has engaged for a short season to direct the stage and to produce each week a bright comedieta or musical farce, the first of which will be presented tomorrow. A motoscope, the latest of all moving picture machines, will furnish many novel and interesting animated views. Prof. Coin and his amusing dog circus will entertain the young and old, and the Hewitts will entertain with a comedy acrobatic sketch. The First Regiment band furnishes the music, and thus far nothing is left undone to make the Zoo a high-class place of summer amusement.

MEETS TUESDAY.

The regular monthly meeting of the Catholic Union will take place Tuesday night at Satoli Hall on Second street. Those delegates who have not been attending these meetings are urged to be present. Newton Rogers will read a specially prepared paper on the Catholic Congress, and several matters of interest will be discussed.

CANDIDATE FOR CONSTABLE.

Edward O'Connor has announced himself a candidate for Constable in the Seventh Magisterial District. For many years he was associated with his father in the plumbing and gas fixture business, and has experience which qualifies him for the position. His many friends are working earnestly for his success.

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HIBERNIANS.

What They Have Been Doing the Past Week—General News Notes.

Division 2 turned over the hall to the degree teams Thursday night.

The Hibernians of Leadville received holy communion in a body last Sunday week.

The foundation of the Hibernian Memorial building in Nashua, N. H., is nearing completion.

St. Paul Hibernians are now preparing for their annual outing, the general committee having been appointed.

When the next initiation takes place Division 4 will entertain with a luncheon. The third and fourth degrees will be conferred June 12.

The recent May dancing party given under the patronage of the Ladies' Auxiliary of Haverhill, Mass., was enjoyed and successful.

The order lost a staunch friend in Father Phillips. Harry Brady's eulogy Wednesday evening was indeed masterly and highly appreciated.

Chairman John Grogan turned over a handsome sum to Treasurer Brady as the result of the recent euchre and dance given by Division 4.

Division 4 this week elected to membership John Wells, Maurice Healy, Andrew Sheehan and Patrick Fogarty. Seven new applications were also received.

The divisions will all elect officers next month. This should bring out a large attendance. But few, if any, changes will be made at this time, as the present officers are all efficient.

The Hibernians of Concord, N. H., will celebrate the Fourth of July with a picnic at Lake Shore Park. County Commissioner Sullivan heads the arrangements committee.

Last Sunday morning Division 5 of Denver, accompanied by ex-members and a large number of Catholic gentlemen of the Annunciation parish, approached holy communion in a body. A special sermon was preached by the pastor.

Hon. Patrick Collins delivered an interesting lecture on Hibernians in St. Augustine's School Hall under the patronage of Division 6 of South Boston. The Rev. Denis O'Callaghan, D. D., introduced the distinguished speaker. An enjoyable concert was also rendered.

Hibernians of Waterbury, Conn., have formed a club for the revival of Gaelic sports and pastimes, to be known as the Gaelic Athletic Association of Waterbury. There is a splendid opening for a similar club in Louisville. Division 4 has among its members many who would make a good showing on the athletic field.

Twelve death claims of \$1,000 each were paid out of the Minnesota Hibernian insurance fund during the first three months of the present year. State Secretary John Mahoney's quarterly report shows a gratifying gain in receipts and membership. The beneficiary fund cash balance was over \$8,000, besides having \$5,000 invested in Government bonds.

FATHER KELLY'S PICNIC.

The annual picnic and outing of the members of the Holy Trinity church, New Albany, will be held at Sugar Grove on Wednesday, June 5. Rev. Father Kelly and the gentlemen of his parish have completed all arrangements for a day of pleasure and enjoyment, and those who attend are assured an outing that will not be soon forgotten.

COMMENCE TOMORROW.

The mission to be conducted by the Paulist Fathers at the Cathedral will commence at the high mass tomorrow. Special services will be held each morning and at night during the week. The Paulist Fathers are able speakers and all should hear them.

A FINE PRESENT.

Dominick Mullaney, one of the best ball players ever produced in Limerick, is playing a fast and snappy game of ball with the Columbus team of the Western Association. He will be presented with a diamond ring and a bouquet by his many Louisville admirers when he steps to the plate this afternoon at League Park. Every one wishes him success and hope that he will soon be traveling in faster company.

THE DERVISH'S ADVICE.

Once a certain King was making a royal progress. On his way he chanced to meet a dervish who was celebrated for his wisdom.

"Give me a piece of advice," said the King, "and you shall have a hundred pieces of gold."

"Begin nothing, sire," answered the dervish modestly, "of which thou hast not considered the end."

The King handed him the money, much to the disgust of the courtiers, who said to one another that a hundred pieces of gold was a pretty price to pay for a bit of old woman's advice. The King had the maxim engraved in gold upon the walls of his palace and pretended not to hear the remarks of his companions.

Soon afterward he had a headache and the court surgeon was called to bleed him—an opportunity long sought, for certain enemies of the King had induced the medical man to put poison on the end of his lancet. The King bared his arm and the surgeon prepared to pierce the royal skin, when his eyes fell upon the golden maxim and he dropped his lancet in great confusion.

"A hundred pieces of gold was not so big a price after all," quietly said the King, ordering the surgeon to prison.

For a sick room a pleasant disinfectant is made by putting some freshly ground coffee in a saucer with a lump of camphor in the center of it. Set it on fire with a match and as it burns the odor of roasting coffee will fill the room, while the fumes from the camphor will kill ordinary disease germs.

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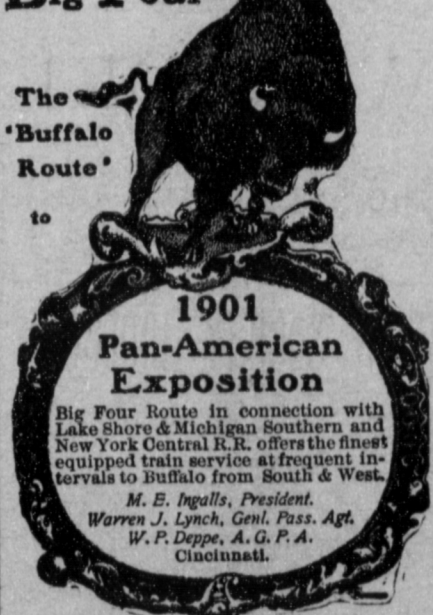
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MEMORIAM.

In Loving Remembrance of Katie E. O'Neil, Who Died May 27, 1893, Aged One Year.

Seven long dreary years have passed Since we saw our baby last, With her face so fair and bright Looking up to heaven's light.

Oh, Katie, how we've missed you No heart nor tongue can tell, But to God's lovely home on high You've gone from us to dwell.

We love her, yes, we love her, But the angels love her more, And they have sweetly called her To yonder shining shore.

The golden gates were open, A gentle voice said "Come," And with farewells unspoken She calmly entered home.

PAPA AND MAMMA,
Don't wear a white petticoat unless it is white.

FASHION'S FOIBLES.

White pique gowns are strapped with bands of white suede cloth by way of novelty rather than practical use.

Some of the prettiest examples of embroidered gowns are shown among the batiste models in both white and biscuit color, entirely covered with some exquisite design.

Plain parasols of brocaded silks, all of one color, are one of the many varieties which the season has to offer. These have wooden sticks, with knobby heads, apparently carved to simulate some freak of nature.

The fancy boas so much worn in spring and summer are made of chiffon in white and pale colors. They are very fluffy about the neck, decorated at intervals with large gauze roses, and long scarf ends fall below the waist.

Combinations of two colors are very evident in every department of dress, but harmony is the rule which helps to produce so many pretty results. Mauve and blue are in company sometimes, but very carefully chosen as to shades.

Piping and bands of black and white silk are one of the modes of trimming thin wool gowns, and cloth bands matching the color of the ground trim many stylish foulards. This idea is shown to advantage in the pretty soft shades of red.

There is nothing else in the line of petticoats so attractive as those which are made of white lawn batiste and nainsook, trimmed with exquisite embroidery and lace, and they are to be very much worn in spite of our fondness for silk skirts.

One rather odd fancy this season is the use of colored bands of fine batiste on a white gown. Some of the fancy white blouse waists show this treatment, the batiste in pale blue forming a band on the edges down either side of a tucked white vest.

A feature of trimming which has blossomed out in many ways not so exclusive as when it first made its appearance is the hand painted mousseline. We find it in medallions outlined with gold braid, silk bands and quaint embroidery, or possibly jeweled bands.

The blouse bodice with guimpe neck is also tucked, like the elbow sleeves, and finished with a ficelle drape of net and lace below the deep round yoke of cream lace, or it may be of tucked chiffon crossed two or three times with black chintilly insertion in a wavy design.

Pale gray muslins make very stylish gowns. The embroidered Swiss made up with plain muslin forms one pretty model. The deep flounce is of plain muslin, accordion pleated and the upper part of the skirt is cut in points on the lower edge, trimmed around with lace insertion falling over the flounce.

A pretty skirt for any of the thin materials is the one with a narrow front breadth extending around the hips in a narrow yoke, below which the material is tucked to the knee. A row of lace insertion trims the seam down the side and all around, the same outline being followed by another row below and back of this. The hem may be added with a cross stitch or finished with three narrow tucks.

Of all the things in fashion there is nothing else quite so varied and conspicuous as the separate waist, which is multiplied a thousand times in every direction you chance to look. The fact that it has become common does not seem to injure it like most other things in fashion, for it is more worn than ever before. Even the plain shirt waist must fit the figure and boast of correct lines or it has no place this season.

CONVERTS IN IRELAND.

It seems as if the day was not far distant when Ireland will be completely Catholic from end to end. In Ulster the church is at present making great headway. A book entitled "Some Notable Conversions in the County of Wexford" has just appeared. The author, Father Kirk, tells in a simple, unaffected way the story of his conversion to the Catholic faith. It is, we believe, generally thought that the number of Protestants who are received into the church in Ireland is very small. But this supposition is scarcely correct. Ireland supplies quite a considerable number of converts, and it would no doubt be still larger if the efforts made to win non-Catholics were more systematic.

Father Kirk, who was a Protestant curate at Gorey in the County Wexford, seems from the earliest days of his ministry to have been drawn toward the Catholic church. Others in the same county were similarly inclined about the same time, and in his pages he gives us glimpses of the progress they made toward religious truth. Closely associated with his own conversion in a very special way was that of Mr. and Mrs. Ram and their family. Mr. Ram was the heir of Ramsfort, in County Wexford, a descendant of the first Protestant Bishop of Ferns. A legend dating from early times ran to the effect that the first owner of the property who returned to the Catholic faith would lose all his Irish possessions, and the legend has been fulfilled to the letter, the temporal loss being more than compensated for by the spiritual gain. When Father Kirk first visited the district as a Catholic priest and he and Mr. Ram drove to the local Catholic church the people in showing their joy would do with nothing less than the strains of a brass band. Their intention was, no doubt good, but they gave the newly ordained priest who had no desire to play the hero a very bad quarter of an hour.

"Man Sandy, is that you?" exclaimed in surprise an old man in the street the other day. "Man, I thought ye were dead. I heard ye were drowned!" "Oh, no; it was na me," returned Sandy solemnly. "It was ma brother." "Dear me, dear me," murmured the old man. "What a terrible thing." There was a somewhat thoughtful look on Sandy's face as he wandered away.

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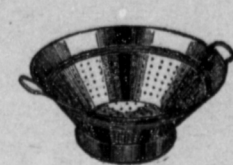
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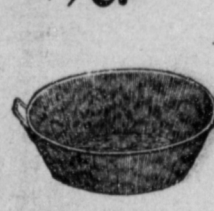
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FAMOUS IRISH CASTLES

Will Be Patterned After at the Next World's Fair, in 1903.

At a meeting of the Knights of St. Patrick held recently in the parlors of the Lindell Hotel at St. Louis it was definitely decided to establish an Irish building at the World's Fair to be held in the Mound City in 1903. In every particular the building will be representative of Irish life and will contain exhibits of Irish art, literature and manufacture.

The plans for the building, which will be patterned after some of the world famed old castles of Ireland, are being drawn by Isaac Taylor. The many other Irish societies of St. Louis are expected to co-operate with the Knights of St. Patrick, and efforts are now being made toward raising the necessary funds.

A delegation of four has been appointed to visit Ireland to collect relics for the building and arouse enthusiasm for the fair. These gentlemen will visit the Dublin University and the Kildare Royal Museum. They are Messrs. John S. Leahy, Edward O'Darcy, John P. Leahy and J. J. O'Connor.

Judge Daniel Dillon, J. P. Maginn, Richard C. Kerens, Isaac Taylor and John Scullin have the whole matter in charge.

RAPID PROGRESS.

We are glad to make known to the many readers of the Kentucky Irish American the good news we have of Edward Smith, of Chicago, but formerly of this city. He left Louisville last September, going to Chicago to accept a position with the Diamond Erie Paper Box Company of that city. Last week he was appointed foreman of machinery with a nice increase of salary. Ed., as he is known to his Louisville friends, was a hustling member of Mackin Council and is a brother of V. B. Smith, foreman of the press room at the Bradley & Gilbert Company. His many friends are elated over his rapid success in the Windy City.

CONFIRMATIONS.

Sunday will be a joyous day at St. Cecilia's. At the 7 o'clock mass a large class of young people will make their first holy communion. At 2 p. m. the May procession will take place, after which Rev. Bishop McCloskey will administer confirmation. Following this the young people will be enrolled in the various societies. A special musical programme has been arranged for the occasion, and altogether the day will be one long remembered.

At the Cathedral of the Assumption next Sunday quite a number of young people will approach holy communion for the first time. Later the same class will be confirmed by Bishop McCloskey. Incidentally it may be of interest to state that in the opinion of many more young people will also approach first communion during May and June of this year than during the same two months of any year in the history of the diocese.



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TAKES VOW.

A Pennsylvania Young Lady Takes Her Sister's Place at Nazareth.

The last issue of that sterling journal, the Pittsburg Observer relates, the following remarkable occurrence:

"Miss Mary O'Brien, formerly of this city and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. O'Brien, of Bedford, made her profession of vows in the Convent of the Sisters of Charity, Nazareth, Ky., on May 1. An elder sister, Miss Essie, in religion Sister Celestine, was a member of the same community and died September 19, 1900. Miss Mary promised to take her place after finishing her studies at St. Xavier's Academy. She graduated in June, 1900, and at once began her novitiate. She now has the habit worn by her departed sister and her name. Another sister, Miss Margaret, is Sister M. Alacque in the Marcy Order."

May the fair young nun live to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of her sacrifice. May her years in Kentucky be filled with that holiness and tenderness that now surrounds her life.

PLEASURE RESORTS.

The formal opening of Phoenix Hill Park will take place tomorrow afternoon and evening, with Weber's famous military band of forty soloists and artists as the stellar attraction. Thousands of dollars have been expended in improvements upon this popular pleasure resort during the past few months, making it now more beautiful than ever. Manager Zabel has made special arrangements for the comfort and pleasure of all visitors. Phoenix Hill Park has recovered its old-time prestige and will receive the patronage of Louisville's best citizens.

ACCEPTS AGENCY.

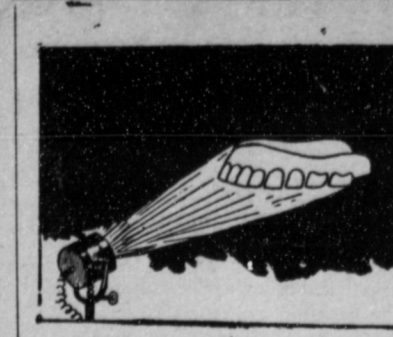
Martin Minogue, who for some months past has been soliciting for the Kentucky Irish American, has also accepted the position of city salesman for the A. O. H. cigars manufactured by William Graeter, whose advertisement appears elsewhere. Mr. Minogue has a large circle of acquaintances who will be pleased to share their trade with him. His line of goods are union made and first-class and have everywhere given satisfaction.

CATHOLIC KNIGHTS.

Every arrangement has been made by the Central Committee of the Catholic Knights for the mass meeting tomorrow night at St. Mary's Hall. A splendid musical programme will be rendered and able addresses will be delivered by State President Reichert and others. The attendance promises to be very large, as nearly all Catholic societies have been invited.

DOWN TO WORK.

Branch 4 of the Catholic Knights and Ladies of America will at the next meeting add several names to the membership roll. The men of Limerick appear to have awakened and gone earnestly to work. They have a fine field.



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